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**PATENT**  
Application No. 09/891,945**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: William MARTIN  
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Entitled : TRADE ALLOCATION  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2005, the time to respond to which having been extended, to and including October 16, 2005, by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time, and in consideration of the concurrently-filed Request for Continued Examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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MR TO ENTER  
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